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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : Yuzuru Suzuki et al.
For : STEPPING MOTOR
Serial No. : 10/004,290
Filing Date : October 25, 2000
Examiner : Hanh Nguyen
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REQUEST FOR A ONE MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

The initial period for response to the outstanding Office Action, issued May 30, 2002, expired on August 30, 2002.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.17, petition is hereby made for a one month extension of time up to and including September 30, 2002 in which to respond to the

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this Request For A One Month Extension Of Time is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Assistant Commissioner For Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231, on September 18, 2002.

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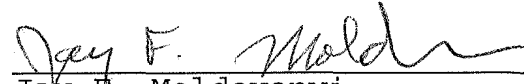
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Office Action. A check in the amount of \$110.00 for the necessary one month extension fee for a large entity is enclosed herewith.

Authorization is hereby provided to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 06-0308.

Respectfully submitted,

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